



Sustainable Communities Grant & Loan Program

\$2.5 Million of Funding Available for Grants and Loans

- The California Pollution Control Financing Authority is conducting a 2007 funding round for the Sustainable Communities Grant and Loan Program (SCGL) to assist cities and counties to develop and implement sustainable development growth policies, programs and projects.
- SCGL may fund specific plans, portions of specific plans, alternative transportation studies, finance plans, redevelopment plans, engineering studies, public projects and other projects that promote sustainable development principles.
- Application deadline is **July 16, 2007**.
- First priority funding will be for Applicants that lack resources to develop and implement sustainable development growth policies, programs and projects.
- Program Description and Application Instructions are available via the internet at: www.treasurer.ca.gov/cpcfa.

For more information:

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Funding Criteria

- Maximum assistance of \$500,000 per Applicant
- Up to \$350,000 for a Grant
- Up to \$150,000 for a Loan
- Maximum Loan term of 60 months at 0% interest rate



Project Eligibility

To Qualify Projects must:

- Assist with development and implementation of policies, programs and projects that reduce pollution hazards and the degradation of the environment within existing neighborhoods and communities.
- Assist with revitalization of one or more Economically Distressed California neighborhoods.
- Promote Infill Development.

Applicant Eligibility

- Applicant must be one or more California cities and/or counties.
- Applicant may submit only one Application for program funds.



Project Criteria

Projects must promote one or more Sustainable Development objectives:

- Develop and implement policies, programs and projects that reduce pollution hazards and the degradation of the environment.
- Promote Infill Development.
- Promote economic development within Economically Distressed communities.
- Promote land uses that support alternative transportation options.
- Ensure a proper mix of business and housing, including affordable housing, in communities and neighborhoods.
- Balance job growth with new housing.
- Encourage communities centered around civic spaces.
- Ensure more efficient, well-planned, higher density use of land.
- Protect environmental resources.